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1. A battalion headquarters, a company and a border sector headquarters were located in Mihla in early May 1950.*

2. A border sector headquarters and a company were stationed in Gerstungen.

3. A company was located in Bernbach/Lhoen.

4. The Mihla border sector headquarters controls border posts in the following towns:

Arenshausen :	1 NCO, 6 Enl.
Mihla :	1 NCO, 6 Enl.
Creuzburg :	1 NCO, 6 Enl.
Martha :	1 officer, 2 NCOs and 12 Enl.

5. The Gerstungen border sector headquarters controls the border posts in the following towns:

Leustaedt :	1 NCO, 6 Enl.
Untersuhl :	1 NCO, 6 Enl.
Lerka :	1 NCO, 6 Enl.
Dippach :	1 NCO, 6 Enl.

6. The Bernbach border sector headquarters controls the Vacha (1 51/1 64) border post, composed of 1 officer, 2 NCOs and 12 Enl.

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Comment. The units employed in zonal border guard duty in the Mhla sector belong to the 57th Gds Mtz Rifle Div, according to previous information. A battalion of the 172d Gds Mtz Rifle Regt of this division was stationed there in December 1949.

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